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Re: Church of Scientology et al. v. Armstrong

Dear Counsel:

Over the weekend, and after we gave our first notice of an ex parte application in the above-referenced matter, we learned that the case had been transferred from Department 5 of the Marin County courthouse to Department 4. We immediately contacted the newly-assigned courtroom to determine their ex parte procedure. Unfortunately, we were informed that the Court was engaged in a murder trial before a jury, and it was impossible to hear our ex parte today, at the previously scheduled time of 2:00 p.m.

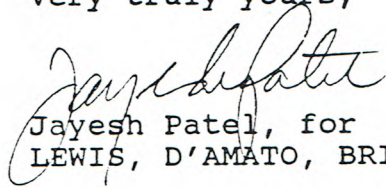
We requested a convenient time for the Court, and were told to schedule for either Tuesday, March 3, or Wednesday, March 4, at 1:30 p.m. The Court advised us that Department 4 would be "dark" on Friday, March 6, and all of the following week, since the Judge intends to be out of town on those days. Accordingly, we advised the Court that Tuesday, March 3, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 4 will be the best time for our hearing. In the interests of efficiency, we told the Court that we would personally serve our papers on Ms. Bartilson, today, and express mail copies of our papers to both Mr. Wilson and the Court.

The Court has requested that we submit a time estimate for our ex parte hearing, and we have estimated that the hearing

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should not last longer than thirty (30) minutes. If you feel that this estimate is insufficient, please advise us and the Court, so that the Court may instruct the jury in its murder trial of the length it will break to hear our application. We look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,


Jayesh Patel, for
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